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GOLD was active in New York yesterday at 116@116%, closing at 116%.

TENNESSER BONDS sold in New York yesterday at 804 for both issues. COTTON was without change in New York yesterday, at 21c for middling.

FLORIDA, TOLI

of the Advantages Which Sumter County Present.

Correspondence of the Union and American. LEESBURG, FLORIDA, July 10, 1873 — As I have seen various letters from other parts of this now rapidly improving State, and as the outside word will ju ge of the whole by what is written of a part, I have concluded to give you as correct an idea of this vicinity, as I hope, as others have of their respective localities. In the first place, all correspondents are more or less prone to color a I ttle deep, if writing to benefit their sections, by dealing in too much exaggeration of the good feature, and not mentioning any of the unpleasant features, or what appear. are more properly called drawbacks, and hence, a correspondent on Indian river, in the extreme southern part of the peninsular, will entertain his readers by an epistle full of fish, telling you of the thousand and one kinds, and that every wate course, lake and pond are but piles of them, covered over wih just water enough to keep them from spiling, and wishes all his friends to come down to catch fish, to eat fish and the murder, the army trial being on a charge barrel up fish to send North, and then, of conduct unbecoming an offi er and genperhaps, in the next hut is a correspondent saying something to a Northern journal about a few unpleas nt features that might annoy a man with sensitive nerves — nch as narrating with all the sang froid imagina-ble his different alligator or shark stories of having heard that four men started home across a small stream and sharks and alligators went for them; one succeeded in getting out minus a head and tells the tale; and consequently the lands in the imme-

diate neighborhood are not entered; and the imaginary sharks and the other unknown monsters have full sway. And then again, he goes gunning. There are plenty of deer, and all kinds of game, but the infamous mosquitoes are so thick that he has to fire a random shot, and then before the mosquitoes close up, he shoots through the tools and bags his deer. One fellow (ex-cuse the word) declaring he had many a time killed his four or five mosquitoes with a buck-shot by thro aing agains. the side of his shanty. Pratty hard tales are they not, and hard to be believed even of the Ind River Country.

Though from what I said in the commencement of this letter, you had a right to expect a truthful parrative of this section at feast, and not knowing anything of the extreme South, I will not attempt to give you anything more than what the few extracts above would lead you to infer, save that it is a country full of beauties and attractive feature—the saying of correspondents to the contrary notwithstanding.

Well to get to my purpose of letting you, and through you, the people know something about our county of Sumter. It is an interior county, situated nearly midway between the Gulf and Atlantic coast, and within its borders are several beautiful lakes, navigated by boats running between points on their banks and Jacksonville, at the mouth of the St. Johns river. Our climate is delightful, enjoying as we do an almost constant breeze furnished by the gulf. Our lands are various, either hammock, oak, scrub or pine. The hammock contains the wild orange groves, though the sweet groves are planted both in hammock and on pine lands, and are succeeding well in each, and from the present prospect, the orange cul-ture will be a success; and the young groves started can be counted by the hundreds. The pine land will compare very favorably with the lands of the Gulf States, and cotton is raised quite extensively, though most all the farmers raise some caue and make their own sugar and syrup; and I am told this is an easy country to make a comfortable living in. I have only been in the country a few months, though I can see the evidences of advancement on all sides-houses. saw mills, cotton girs going up, lands cleared-everything that bespeaks thrift. And the very best thing about our county is that it is so healthy that the doctors are either moving away or planting orange groves, so as to make both ends meet. A. Fox.

MICHIGAN.

The Temperance War.

the Peace was entered and all the city re- makes fif y cases at that institution within cords, files, chantels, mortgages, police dockets, papers and books belonging to the office Officer to-day reported several dangerous were taken. A prohibition war is being waged here with considerable success, and the guilty parties are doubtless those opposed to the efforts being made to close the

NEW HAVEN.

Italian Child Slavery.

NEW HAVEN, July 22 .- G. F. Secchi di Casali, of the Eco d' Italia, with another gentleman from New York, arrived in this city, bearing certified copies of recent acts that there are only about 1,500 people in that place, and that the surrounding towns of the Italian Parliament in regard to the system of child slavery. These documents cution of Glionne, who is under \$2,000 bonds for holding several stolen boys in virtual bondage in this city.

CINCINNATI.

A Chapter of Fatal Accidents.

CINCINNATI, July 22.—A Gazette special drowned while swimming yesterday. Also curred in all. that Morris Rochelle, a shoemaker, drank a pint of whisky on a wager and died from the effects. Also that a boy, name unknown, fell from a tree and was killed.

CHICAGO.

Mortnary Report for the Week. CHICAGO, July 22. -At a meeting of the Board of Heaith this aftersoon the report of the Sanitary Superintendent was received, showing the deaths for the past week to be 423, an increase of 107 over the preceeding week. Of the total number 243 were child en under one year of age, 149 cently arrived emigrants.

WASHINGTON.

The Extradition Case—Opinion of the Attorney General.

Washington, July 22.—Attorney General Williams has given an advance opinion in the case of Carl Vogt, the Prussian subject charged with murder, arson and rob-bery in Belgium, and whose extradition is sought under treaty with Prussia, concluding as follows:

I have carefully read the elaborate opinions of Judge Blatchford, upholding the jurisdiction of his case, but with diffidence and regret, I am compelled to dissent from his views. They do not appear to me to be sound in principle or sustained by authority. Able writers have contended there was reciprocal obligations upon nations to surrender fugitives from justice, though now it seems to be generally agreed that this is a matter of courtesy. But it is to be presumed when there are treaties upon the applied that the fugitives are to be applied that subject that fugitives are to be surrendered enly in cases and upon terms sp cified in such treaties.

The Lord Gordon Case. Sir Steward Thornton had an interview to-day with the Assistant Secretary of State concerning the Lord Gordon case in Mani-

Caution from the P. O. Department. It seems that postmasters in several States have been furnishing the public with official stamps of the Postoffice Department. Letters under such official stamps the dead letter office, as they are known to be private letters. One commaster in Ohlo recent y received two hundred official stamps, and sold one hundred and forty.

A circular of the Postoffice Department. A circular of the Postoffice Department cautions postmasters from selling and the public from buying these official stamps.

Discredited. Reported intelligence from San Antonio of an engagement between Col. McKenzie the army has so little faith in the rumor he does not think it worth serious inquiry.

A private letter received here by a Govin Mexico, states that the Mexican Government has no desire to assume an aggressive position toward the United States on account of McKenzie's raid over the Rio Grande, and it is not feared that any efforts cans are deal ng with that question very tenderly, and the punishment McKenzie inflicted on the treacherons thieves engaged in depredatibus on the Rio Grande is not regarded as so much of an offense against international law as some would have it

Dismissed the Service. Second Lieutenant M. Frank Galleghar, of the Second Infantry, recently tried before general court-martial, at Columbia, S. C., for killing John C. McAnelly, a discharged soldier, in Spartansburg, the 2nd of May last, has been dismissed the service, and the sentence approved by the President. The civil authorities will take cognizance of tleman only.

POLITICAL.

New OBLEANS, July 22.—The Republi-can says Hou. J. Henry Burch left for the North last evening, by way of the Jackson Railroad, as avant courier of a committee of colored men appointed to visit the North last election in this State. Mr. Burch is annonnced to speak in Harrisburg, Pa., on the first of August. Messrs. Ingranam, Chester and Lewis will follow Mr. Burch in a week or two, and the party will rendezvous at Sarataga on the 6th of August.

At a meeting of colored men in this city of colored men, some time in November, to meet in New Orleans. Sanator Morton and Party.

LEAVENWORTH, Ks , July 22 .- Senator Morton, and party were entertained by Gen. Pope and staff at headquarters to-day, and left for St. Louis at 3 P. M. Demanding Equal Rights.

State Senator Relby and Representative Alien, of Texas, spoke t day to a large gang of colored Masons from all the Western States, both demanding from the Republican party the passage of civil rights laws; in failure of which, they threaten to support those who will aid them. The New Party Movement in Ohio.

CINCINNATI, July 22 .- A political meeting at Greenwood Hall, ca led to take steps to form a new party and appoint delegates to Columbus, was composed principally of working men, numbering 300. They listened to speeches and passed resolutions condemning rairoad monopolies, National banks and Railroad land grabs. They nom-inated delegates to the convention of July 30, at Columbus. Democratic State Convention.

PORTLAND, ME., July 22 .- Th Democratic State Committee have issued a call for a State Convention to be held in this

THE CHOLERA.

Its Ravages in Missouri.

People Fleeing from Infected Places. ST. Louis, July 22.—Further advices Louisiana, Mo., say the cholera has abated there, but some fifty persons altogether have died with it since it first broke out, including some of the most promin at citizens in Pratrieville and Troy. The scourge raged fearfully, the towns being about depopulated either by diseas or people fleeing from their homes. Out of one family of nine persons in the former place, all of whom were well last Friday, only two rema'n to bury the dead. The disease also prevails in other towns near by. Business is almost entirely suspended, and most of those who are able are fleeing from infected

CINCINNATI, July 22 .- Three deaths re-YPSILANTI, July 22.—On Sunday night peried from cholera to-day, one a colored the office of the City Clerk and Justice of man at Cood Samaritan Hospital, which makes fifty cases at that institution within a week. Weather quite co d. The Health cholera morbus cases from eating smoked fish. The Health Board has prohibited the

In Princeton, Indiana. EVANSVILLE, IND , July 22 .- The Journal's correspondent from Princeton reports cholera in that neighborhood, three or four miles east of the place on Indian creek. Ten persons have died since last Friday and new cases are reported daily.

Mt. Vernon. The Journal's Mt. Vernon reporter states are full of Mt. Vernon citizens who have fled from the city, The Board of Health

False Rumor.

broken out in Carmi and Mt. Carmell, Ills., but the Journal's advices show them to have been unfounded.

Dispatches from Louisians, Mo., to. night say: No deaths from cholera occurfrom Antwerp, Ohio, says that at that place | red here since Saturday lest, and that the two young man named Fizhugh, aged six-teen and twenty-one, respectively, were time has subsided; only 28 deaths have oc-

THE TURF. Detroit Baccs.

The sec and race was for horses that never tre tied better than 2:84, \$500 to the first, piece of n pe was also found on the back \$300 to the second, and \$200 to the third, was won by Membrino Gift, Little leack the other; it was a new rope, the size of a cide yesterday by taking an overdose of second, Ruby third. Sx heats were troiterday. were from cholera infantum and 11 from ted, the first being a dead heat. Time, 2:35, loose rail, when I saw it, was only a few ed and she was saved. She jumped in the cholera morbus; all of the latter among re- 2:321, 2:34, 2:36, 2:34. Weather very fine inches from the south rail; hind trucks on river this evening with the same object, but setting fin to his store in Boston, and held and attendance fair.

NAMED OF STREET

THE CRIMINAL CALENDAR.

Daring Robbery of an Express Train The Engineer Killed at his Post.

The Train Ditched and the Safe Robbed by Masked Men. DES MOINES, Iowa, July 22 .- An extraordinary and daring robbery of a railroad train was committed last night, four miles west of Adair, on the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad. At this point there is a sharp curve in the road, and here the rob bers had placed heavy timbers across the track to throw the east bound passenger train off the track. The engineer, John Refferty, saw the obstructions in time to reverse his engine and apply the air brake, but the robbers observing the movement fired at him from ambush and shot him dead. The engine struck the logs and went off the track into a ditch, and was followed by one of the baggage cars, the others, with the passenger train, remaining on the track. Several passengers were bruised but

were masked, after opening and emptying the safe of the Express Massenger of its contents, rode off on horseback. Among the passengers were thirty Chinese students en route to Springfield. Mass. Particulars of the Robbery. CHICAGO, July 22.—The Evening Jour-nal's special from DesMoines to-day gives the following account of the attack on the

particulars of the roobery of the night ex-press train on the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad last night: The train left Council Bluff at 5 o'clock, with four coaches and two sleepers, the rear sleeper being filled with a company of

Aristrocratic Chinese on their way to New England colleges. and Gen. Escobedo is entirely discredited at the War Department. The General of in which was the through California mail and express matter, consisting in short of near two thousand dollars in the express safe and three tons of raggage. When about ernmet officer from a prominent American | 15 miles west of this city, about 8:30, at a sharp curve on the read and an isolated spot, with no house in several miles in any direction, the train moving about twentyat retaliation or diplomatic complications from its place about sixty feet will be the result. The truth is the Mexicans are deal of the against D five miles an hour, the engineer, John Raf-Reversed His Engine,

and applied the air brake, and while in the act of doing it, bullets came pelting into the engine like hall. The engine ran into the bank and turned over, throwing out the engineer, John Rafferty, and the fireman, the former falling on the latter, dead. It is supposed he was

Hilled by Concussion, as no bullet wounds are found on his body. The fireman escaped unhurt. The train beng very heavy, ran about one hundred feet and stopped. The engine ran up into the bank and turned over, and the two baggage cars doubled up and were badly smashed. As soon as the train stopped, six large, athletic men,

Masked in Full Ku-Klux Style. present at the express car, in which were the Conductor, Wm. Smith, Superintendent Royce, the Express Messenger, John Burgess, and three other persons, and com-

Firing Rapidly into the Car, yelling "Get out of there, d-n ye, get out of there." Two bullets passed through the clothes of the conductor, and grazed the skull of the baggage master, and one, the to explain to the people the events of the side of the head of the capress messenger. The inmates jumped out, when they were ordered to the rear under cover of half a dozen navy revolvers. Two of the robbers marched up and down the train, threatening to shoot any person who showed their head on the train, saying "Get down out o' si ht, d-n ye, or we will shoot y u." The yesterday, it was agreed to call a convention | robbers then took about two thousand dollars from the express safe, cut open the mail sacks, but took no letters, and mounted each a bosec and redo off across the prairie in a southeasterly direction, the whole being done in less than ten minutes. They fortunately did not cut the telegraph wires, and Superintendent Royce at once

hastened to the nearest station and Telegraphed in all Directions. Engines and a posse of men were sent out from Council Bluffs, the Burlington and other roads, to intercept the robbers in a on herly direction. Their dress and voice indicated they were reg lar bush whackers, and they evidently intended to get the usual valuable express matter by this route on Monday, but which went through on an extra train on Sunday night. The robbers during the day stole a spike-bar and hamme- from a hand car house at the nearest station. They drew the pikes from one end of the rail and fastened a small cord to the end of the rail and secreted themselves several

fods away and as the engine approached, they Pulled the Rail Out of Place. The promptness of the engineer and the air brakes saved the passengers from barm, as not one was injured. A track was at once laid around the wricked cars and the train resumed its tric, arriving here at 7:30 this moreing, bringing the dead body of the en-gineer, who resided here, and who leaves a

wife and three children.

Bumors and Conjectures. DER MONIES, IOWA, July 22 - A thousand conjectures are current here in regard to the persons who robbed the train on the Rock Island Railroad last night. The most probable one is that the robbery was committed by persons living near where the robbery took place. The valise in which they carried off the money from the Ex-press Company's safe was found five miles south of the wrecked train to-day. Vigilant

parties are scouring Southwest Iowa, and it is confidently believed the robbers will be caught if they remain within the State. A telegram received here late to-night, says they crossed B. and M. R. R. last might at Testimony of the Conductor. Wm. A. Smith, conductor or the fated train, testified to-day at the Corocer's iuquest on the body of John Rafferty, the engineer, that the train was wrecked two near the front end: I was thrown under a which side of the car I got out or; know

and a half or three miles west of Adair Station, and 600 or 700 feet east of Turkey creek bridge. I was in the smoking car seat in front of me; don't remember I reached the engine on the north side; I went forward to see who was hurt; the first person I met was one of the masked men, near the baggage car door, who pointed a revolver in each hand toward me, and told me to get back, firing at me at the rame time. backed down as far as the sleeping coach, before I felt I was out of his way; there I met Dennis Foley, the fireman; he says, "Billy, Jack is dead." Passengers were in a hubbub, and the women and children were crying, and I told the passengers that I thought the masked men were trying to rob the baggage car, and tried to borrow a re-volver but failed. I could still see a man from where I was, and another walking up will be used to merrow merning in prosethink he was firing at me also; some of the Reports were current that the disease had train, as the men were firing at me, and I would be the cause of some of them being killed. I then went into the sleeping car at the rear, still rying to get a revolver, urging passengers to keep quiet as these men we e robbing the baggage car. I went out of the ladies car up to the bank and bence to the engine. Two balls passed through my cothing while I was on the bank; the shots came from the south side of the train; did not see the man on the north side then; did not see or hear anything more of the masked men. After the passengers got quiet I went forward to in-DETROIT, July 22 —The July races of hind truck of the smoking car I found Hamtranck Park Association commerced that the fish place had been re-here to-day. The first race, for horses that moved from the rail on the north here to-day. The first race, for horses that never beat three m nutes, was wen by side, disconnecting a rail. At both ends a lengthy interview with Kate, but nothing the chestnut filly in three straight heats, rope and strap were tied in the bolt holes bay filly second. Quicksilver third. Time, of the disconnected rail, at the west end, and a rope passed under the south rail across the ditch a d up into the bank A

had been running eighteen or t wenty mile

The Effect on the Passeagers. Passengers on the train report the scene was terrible and baffle description. When

the crash came all were thrown forward, some entirely off their seats. Then came the recoil, and immediately after they heard firing, but supposed it came from the wreck. Many of the men jumped from the cars and started to go forward, and were ordered back by the robbers, who continu d firing and enforced their commands by terrible oaths and threats. Back they went with a rush and in the cars found the wo men and children half crazed with fright shricking, crying and fainting, imploring the men to protect them, and exclaiming,

"My God, We Shall be Killed." The stoutest hearts quailed and felt they were at the mercy of desperadoes. Alto gether it was a scene unprecedented in the history of railroading in this country, as never before has so

Beckless and Daring a Scheme been carried to completion. All Western lows is in a fever of excitement. Farmers for miles around are leaving the harvest none seriously hurt. The robbers, who fields with their families, visiting the scene of the robbery. The engine and baggage cars remain as they were last night, the former badly wrecked. Superintendent Royce estimates the loss sustained by the company at about \$3,000. Gov. Cupenter

Issued a Proclamation, offering a reward of \$500 for the arrest of each person engaged in the robbery.

Supposed Attempt to Marder a Mar and his Children by Poison. PITTSBURG, July 22 -On Friday morning last, Juo. Snyder and two of his children, living in Springdale, in the borough of Butler, were taken ill with all the symptoms of having been poisoned. They continued to i aprove until Saturday evening when Suyder was suddenly taken ill again with the same symptoms. The physicians were again sum-noned and pronounced it another case of poisoning by arsenic, but as in the previous attempt, an overdose had been given, and the violent vomiting saved his life. A party by the name of Foreman, suspected of administering the poison, was arres ed and lodged in jail. Mrs. Snyder was also arrested yesterday and committed to jail. The parties will have a hearing to-day.

Fatal Affray in St Louis, Sr. Louis, July 22 .- At a late hour last night two steamboat men named Michael McC ruhy and John Kerrigan had an altercation on the street, and the former shot the latter in the left breast, inflicting probably a fatal wound. McCarthy was ar-

Murder in Salt Lake. SALT LAKE, July 22 .- Jerry Sullivan shot and mortally wounded Henry M. Gorvey this evening. Gorvey lived ten minutes. There had been a brief personal encounter between the parties on account of a mining difficulty, when they were separated. Sullivan returned to the saloon, opened the door and shot Gorvey in the back. It is universally considered a cold-blooded murder. Sullivan was arrested.

NEW YORK.

Ready to Pay Damages. NEW YORK, July 22 .- Some survivors of the lost steamship Atlantic having begun suit in the Supreme Court of this State against the owner of the Atlantic to recover the value of their baggage lost and damages for injury done to themselves, the Atlantic Steam Navigation Company filed a petition in the United States District Court setting forth that it is ready and willing to pay into the court the amount of their interest in the steamer and freignt pending on the voyage during which she was lost, and asking that its liability be limited to that amount. Julge Blatchford granted the order in conformity with the petition, and directed the

Clerk of the Court to take testimony on the Cheap Transportation. The American Cheap Transportation Association of this city-p-resent its organiza-tion last evening, and adopted resolutions setting forth that the unjust and extortionate rates charged by various railroads of the country are detrimental to the industries and interests of the nation, and condemning the action of railroad companies in bribing Legislatures and defying Judge

and Executives. "Like Master Like Servant." A letter from the American fleet in Chinese waters says: Im'rey, of the Ashutax, has been sentenced to two years suspension. Commander Wilson, of the Yantic, is being tried for drunkenness, and Lieut. Row- of Boston and New York were examined at land is to be tried for obtaining money un-

der false pretenses. Reported Arrest of Roscoe. Yesterday P. M. it was rumored that Roscoe, the supposed accomplice in the murder of Charles Goodrich, had been arrested in New York and transferred to the Brooklyn jail. No information could be obtained from the latter, but during the evening Mrs. Lucette Meyers went to Brooklyn on business connected with the Goodrich case, and | peror, who expressed surprise and gratifica-It was subsequently given but that the man supposed to be Rescree had been arrested on Southern States.

Broadway and sent to Brooklyn in a coach. The Brooklyn Trust Company. NEW YORK, July 22 .- Mr. Rodman, secretary of the Brooklyn Trust Company, has been suspended from his office as Deputy City Treasurer. When questioned in regard to the published report that every active officer of the bank is largely in debt to the institution, acting President Chauncey declined to say anything, remarking that upon that point every one must form his own judgment. It was well known outside that there was considerable disatisfaction in the Board before exposure, but he did not feel at liberty to spend upon the subject.

The Will of the Late President Mills, The last will and testament of Ethelbert S. Mills was submitted at Surrogate Court, Brooklyn, by his son Thomas H. Muls, this morning. The will bequeathed all his property real and personal to his wife and her heirs and an horizes any or all of his real estate to be sold for cash or credit. His son estimates the estate to be valued at three hundred thousand dollars.

The Prize Ring. New York, July 22.—The prize fight has been arranged between Peter Croker, the Euglish pugilist, and Jack Boylar, of They signe! articles to fight for \$1,000, within 50 miles of this city, at 136 pounds, on the 4th of August. A forfeit of in the welfare of their craft, a request be

The Beecher-Bowen Scandal. The statement that there will be no investigation by the deacons and trustees of terest, and that from each town a repre-Plymouth Church, relative to the Bowen-Tilton scandal, is untrue. The trial has only been postponed on account of the ab-sence of Beecher and a number of the committee. In the fall, the charges filed against Bowen and Tilton will be fully investigated. The sessions will probably be held with closed doors.

It is reported that the Deputy Sheriff received an order of arrest against Carl Vogt, issued in the Supreme Court, in an ticipation of his release, with a view to the recovery of property stolen at the time the passengers asked me to get into the murder alleged was committed in Belgium. Evading Sanitary Requirements, The New York Rendering Company now

Carl Vogt to be Re-arrested.

evade the mandates of the Board of Health by moving their steach boat into the middle of the Hudson river, be ween 10 A. M and 6 P. M. They say this complies with the law, and they defy the Board of Health to interfere with them. Hate Stoddard is Visited by Her

Issac B. King, father of Lizzie L. King, alias Kate Stoddard, arrived in Brooklyn to-day and visited her in Raymond Street jall. He remained three hours with her in her cell. He had not seen her before for six years, and said she was very much

Father.

A Persistent Suicide. LITTLE ROCK, July 22-Mattie Whitney, a woman of the town, from St. Louis, which seemed to have been broken from deal and dumb, attempted to commit sui-

smoking car were still on the track. We was rescued before being drowned.

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FOREIGN.

The Carlists' Prospects Brightening.

The Defection is the Spanish Fleet

BAYONNE, July 22 .- News received here through the Carlists concerning the insurrection at Carthagena, throws additional light on the defection of the Spanish squadron in that port, which was made the subject of a Government decree and vote in the Cortes yesterday. The insurgents, after gaining control of the city, seized Castello de Los Gallenas, a s rong fort on the west side of the harbor, less than a thousand yards from the entrance, which it commands c impletely. This gave them control of two lower batteries on shore at the mouth of the harbor. They holsted the red flag of the commune over these fortifications, and summoned the squadron, lying in the harbor, to surrender. The crews were in sympathy with the Insurgents, and the vessels feel into their hands without opposition. The chief command of the squadron is owentrus-ted to Posas, who led the insurrection in the naval arsenal at Ferran, in the province of Corunna some months ago. The vessels thus taken by the Insurgents are the Vittoria, iron clad, 24 guns; Numancia, iron clad, 25 guns; Tetutan, iron clad, 40 guns; Almanza, screw frigate, 48 guns, and Steamers Fernando, El Calalico, Ferralona and Blasco Garay, not classified. The four vessels first named are among the finest in the Spanish Navy.

Government Troops Demoralized. MADRID, July 22.—It is said that the Iberian regiment which the Government despatched to aid in quelling the outbreak there, has mutined and joined the insurgents in a body. At Victoria there are 7,000 Republican troops in a complete state of demoralization and disorganization. Several of the municipal officers had been murdered by soldiers. The Republican troops at Sirangio surrendered to the Carlists on condition that their lives should be spared. In spite of the terms of surrender, the Carlists shot a number of them after they had delivered up their arms.

Desirons of Exchanging Prisoners. Don Alphonzo has sent to the Spanish Government a formal proposition for arrangement of a cartel for the exchange of

Refused to Censure. In the Cortes last night, the motion to ensure Government for its decree declaring the insurgent crews of the Spanish frigates as Carthagena pirates, was rejected by a vote of 110 to 90.

A Fickle Populace.

The Declaration of Independence at Alicante was brought about by the arrival in the herbor of the insurgents' iron-clad Vitsailed, when the city returned to its loyalty to the National Government. The Governor of Alicante was arrested and will be tried by court martial for treason. The minority decided to withdraw again from the Cortes. Wilhelm Visits the American De-

partment of the Exposition. VIENNA, July 22 .- The Emperor visited the American department this A. M., accompanied by Baron Schwarzenburg, Count Bellegard and the minister of police. Notice had been given to the Commissioners before hand. His Majesty wore a field marshal's unnorm. He was received at the entrance by Mr. Garrencon, chief commissioner, Minister Jay, Mr. McEirsch, Archieet Peck, and other Comm saloners. The Emperor, accompanied by Messro. Garrison and Jay, gave a close examination and scrutiny to every department on exhibition. The original sewing machine manufactured by Mr. Elias Howe was examined with deep attention. The Emperor asking what additional improvements had been made, and went through elab rate exhibitions of other sewing machine manfactures, examing specimens of emoroidary and stitching. After curiously studying a map of Philadelphia, the Emperor asked Minister Jay where the say of the centennial exhibition was, and put other questions as to resources and attraclength, the Emperor inquiring into the meth ds of instruction and the number of schotars. A midel of excavation out of Heligate, on East river, was examined closely, and after putting numerous questions as to the necessity for the work, said to Count Bellegarde, "The engineering feats of these Americans are incredible.' The display of cotton, sugar and rice from the Southern States, interested the Em-

A Petition to the Cortes. HAVANA, July 22.—Spanish Conservatives, of Havana, sent to Madrid by the last mail a petition to be presented to the Cortes, in which they pray that so long as a single armed revel remains who cries death to Spaniards, and until a sufficient time has tranquillity in Cuba, no reforms be introduced, such as are likely to produce disturbances which would only be favorable to the rebels. The petition was signed mostly by

wealthy Spaniards and slave-holders and their dependents. Demanding Reforms. The Republican Committee sailed to-day or Spain to lay their cause before the Cor-They ask more reforms, especially librty of the press, abolition or modification of Censorships, and practical enjoyment of Republican forms of government here as well as in Spain.

BOSTON.

The Shoemakers in Council. Boston, July 22 .- The convention of oot and shoe makers of Massachusetts, in session for the pat two days, has adopted a resolution that in view of the lack of interest man fested by shoemakers, sent the several shoe towns in this State that shoemakers meet and respectively consider she causes of this decline in insentative be sent to a convention hereafte to be held, concerning this matter; results arrived at by such convention to be submitted to a mass meeting of boot and

Condensed Telegrams. Timothy Vanseay, awaiting trial for arson, in jail at White Plains, N. J., committed suicide by hanging himself last night. The Crispins are in Convention in Bos-

on, with a view of re-e tablishing the or-

A London dispatch reports the weather favorable for crops. Henry Milward, a well known provision merchant in Chicago, and for many year connected with the business of pork pack ing, died last night at his residence in the

The New York Agricultural excursion party left St. Louis yesterday for Texas, Colorado and Kansas. A Mrs. Lornaman committed suicide at Vandalia, Ill., yesterday, by cutting her

throat with a razor. Two brothers named Conover were drowned at Long Branch Saturday. A deck passenger named John Henry fell overboard from the steamer City of Helena, at Island 82, Monday night, and was drowned. The total debt of the District of Columbia

is stated at \$9,326,981. R. T. Chew, che clerk in the State Department, was struck with paralysis yes-terday, and slight hope is entertained of his recovery.

Hen John P Hale f ll and broke his leg

at Dover, N. H., yesterday. Poledo, O., reports a \$35,000 fire yes-W. C. Filkin was arrested last night for

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